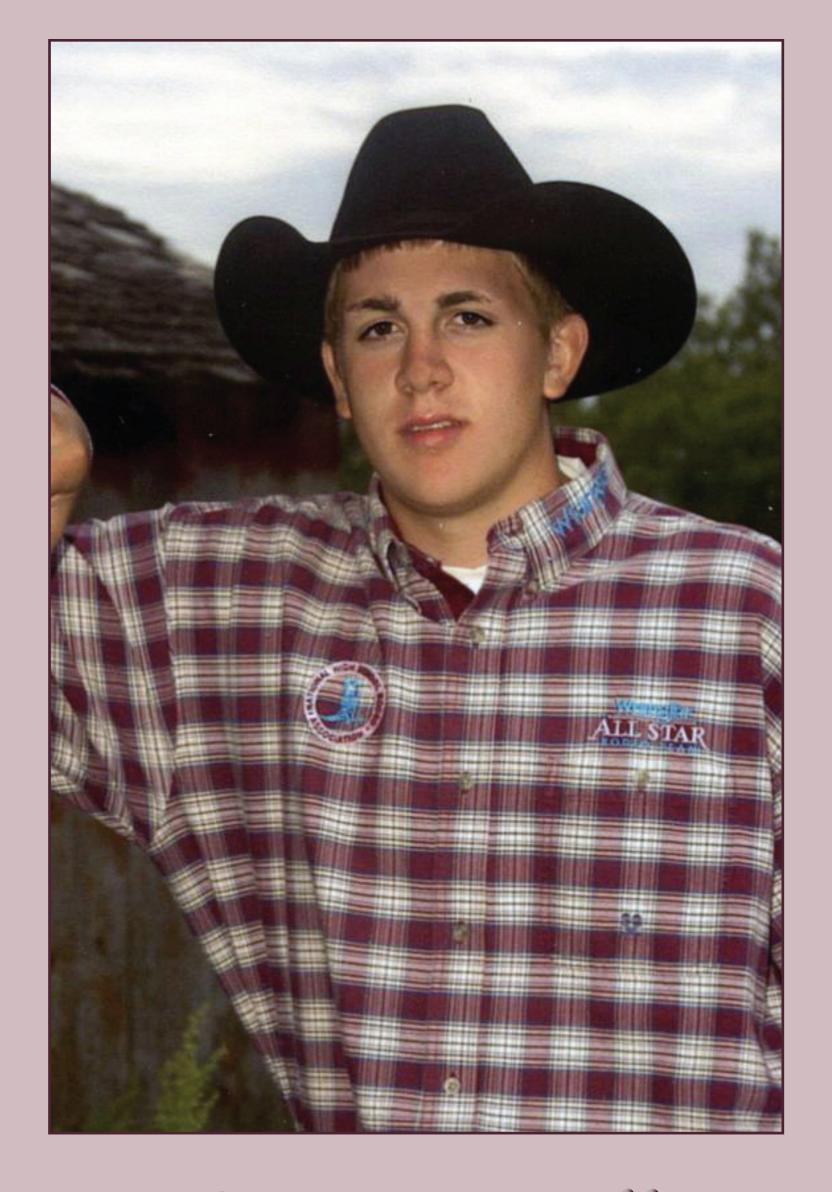


"Voc Rehab has helped me realize my goals and aspirations. They have helped me to achieve independence through making me aware of resources that I did not realize were available before.

They've opened the doors to a lot of opportunities for me."

Jenny Keown

Jenny Keown-Grand Island VR



Voc Rehab has worked closely with Lance providing a variety of vocational services during and after high school.

When asked to what advice Lance would give others he commented, "Make sure you learn to help yourself and accept help from others who are willing to help you."

Lance Volker

Lance Volker~Lincoln VR

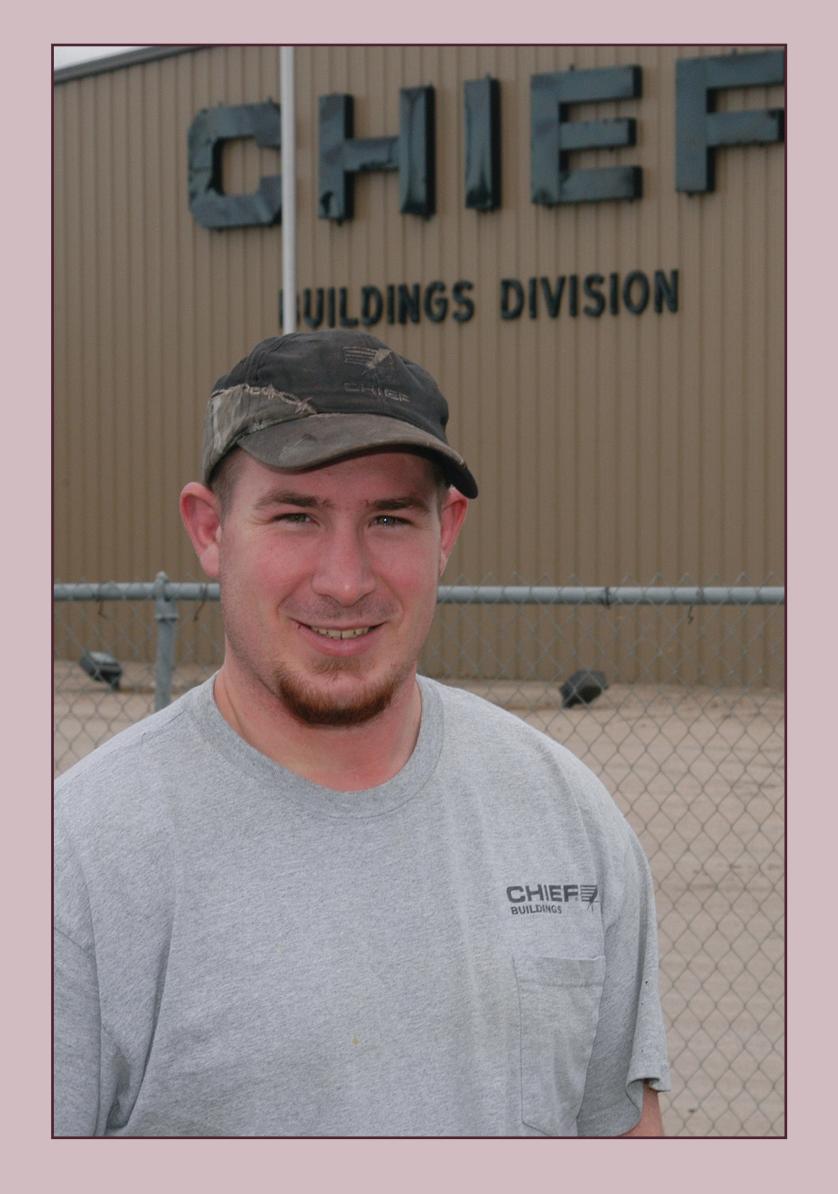


Lisa reminds others
that just because you
have a disability, it
does not mean that you
can't live your life like
everyone else.

"Remember, your disability is not who you are; it's what you have."

Lisa Moody

Lisa Moody~Norfolk VR



Clayton is pleased that he not only has a job he enjoys, but also one that has given him four pay raises in his first year of employment.

Clayton likes his job because, "it keeps him busy all day and the day goes by fast." Clayton Lemmer

Clayton Lemmer-North Platte VR

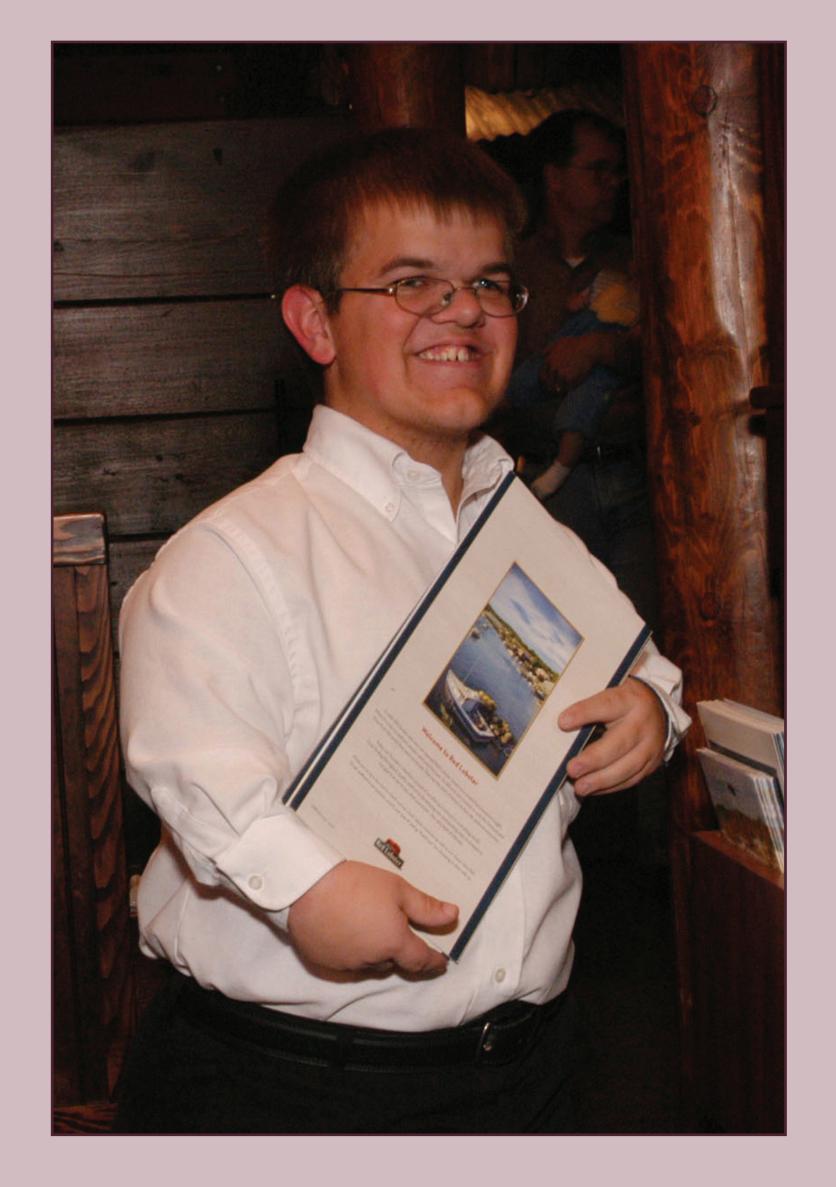


the Summer Youth
Program, a partnership
between Voc Rehab and
Nebraska Workforce
Development, gave her
hope. Now she can see
other possibilities in
her future.

She sums it up quite simply by saying, "Don't limit yourself!"

Kathryn Jimenez

Kathryn Jimenez-North Platte VR



With the assistance of Voc Rehab and Assistive Technology Partnership, adaptations were made to Chris' car.

Chris found a job as a host at Red Lobster.

He said, "It felt awesome to get this job on my own!"

Chris Powers

Chris Powers~Grand Island VR



Kevin sought the support of Voc Rehab at the suggestion of his family and friends.

Kevin would like to become a cook one day.

His goal, "I'd like to work at Godfather's a while longer, and possibly, if I can, become a shift manager," Kevin said.

Kevin Paxton-Hickenbottom

Kevin Paxton-Hickenbottom~Lincoln VR



Toby says the best thing about his job is working with the people.

Linda Arneson (Toby's mother) says, "Our experience with Voc Rehab was a great one. I feel like the staff had our best interests at heart and they worked very hard to find a good fit for Toby." Linda Arneson

Toby Arneson-Lincoln VR



Voc Rehab worked with Ryan during his high school and college years.

During this time he gained valuable construction experience.

"I've worked in all
aspects of
commercial and
residential
construction...now I just
have to work hard to
expand my business."
Ryan Klimek

Ryan Klimek-Kearney VR



Lisa's active participation and interest throughout the Voc Rehab process made her success story possible.

"It's good to have expectations and hopes, but when you don't have the money to back it up, it's hard." Lisa said of Voc Rehab, "If it weren't for them, I wouldn't be where I am now."

Lisa Shore

Lisa Shore~Lincoln VR